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Ms. Magalie R. Salas, Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
The Portals, 445 12th Street, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20554

Re: Docket Number: 00221
Ex Parte filing

Dear Ms. Salas:

On Friday, December 7, on behalf of Itron, Inc., the undersigned had a telephone conversation with Bryan Tramont, Senior Legal Advisor to Commissioner Abernathy, concerning the above-referenced proceeding. We discussed Itron's November 29, 2001, *ex parte* letter regarding the American Hospital Association's and Itron's band sharing plan for the 1427-1432 MHz band.

If there are any questions in this regard, please contact the undersigned.

Sincerely,



Henry Goldberg
Attorney for Itron, Inc.

cc: Bryan Tramont